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Dealers have Become Pretty Wary about Handling Them,

WHILE AWAITING FOR THE YERDICT.

The American Tobacco Company Declines to Sand any More of their Taboood Product into the State Until Pending Prosecutions are Settled -Demurrers to Three Indictments Argued Yesterday.

Unless there is a decision reached as to the legality of the state cigarette law pretty soon, Wheeling and vicinity is throatened with a cigarette famine. Yesterday while an Intelligences man was purchasing his daily supply of stogies in a Market street establishment. a youth entered, and throwing a nickle on the show case, asked for "cigaroots." "Have n't any," said the proprietor,

shoving back the money. "Why, I got some here last week." "Yes; but that is n't this week."

The young man went out looking as if he had been injulted. Then the reporter asked if the dealer did not really have digarettes.
"No, sir," was the answer. "For all the money there is in them a man is a

fool to take chances. I quit handling them when five dealers were indicted. I should rather profit by their experi-ence than my own. I sold all I had in a lump. Nearly all the dealers I know have gult handling them until they see what the courts decide about the state

what the courts decide about the state law."

Farther inquiry showed that the American Tobacco Company, as the cigarette trust is called, had declined to send any more cigarettes into West Virginia until the validity of the law was settled. It is understood that the company will stand the expense of pending suits as a test of the law. Meantime a few dealers are quietly working off their stocks to known customers, but nearly all say they will buy no more, and it looks as if in a very short time those who must have them will have to buy them outside of the state. Some have already been sent to consumers here by mail. In the criminal court vesterday the

mail.

In the criminal court yesterday the demurrers to the indictments against Charles R. Goetze, J. B. McKee and the Messrs. McLain were called for argument. The demurrer alleges that the eigarette act is in conflict in several respects with the state constitution; that it was never legally passed in either house of the legislature, as required by the constitution, and is therefore null and void, and that the second count of the indictment is void, as the sale of cigarettes in the original package does not constitute retailing.

Mr. S. G. Smith, representing the defense, argued the points made. Attorney General Riley and Prosecuting Attorney Howard not being ready with their side of the case, father argument was postponed until next Saturday.

The outcome of the cases will be watched with a great deal of interest, and no doubt whichever way the result goes an appeal will be taken.

LOCAL BREVITIES, Matters of Minor Moment in and About 3

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the City. THE annual fair at St. Clairsville opens

The steel bridge across the river at

Etnaville is being repainted. THE new LaBelle tin works is expected to resume operations in full this

Work was commenced yesterday lay-

ing the new big water main on Market street, south of Twenty-first. Phil Downen, a chronic case, was run in yesterday by the patrol driver, Joe Mays, on the same old charge of plain

A REGULAR meeting of the city council is due this evening, and it is thought that under the existing circumstances

there may be a quorum. The disgraceful condition of Wheel-

daily comment. It gets worse all the time. The obstructions at Main street bridge should be cleaned out. In Squire Fitzpatrick's court last even-

ing Frank Delbrugge was arraigned on a peace warrant sworn out by Charles Mounts, but after a nearing Delbrugge was discharged at the costs of the pros-

THE funeral of the late Frank C. Hil-I take place this alternoon at 3 from the residence of his Dr. Engene Hildreth, 1207 brother, Chapline street.

YESTERDAY the public schiols north of the creek opened with a fadare, but not so large as it would have been but for the smallpox scare. In private schools and music classes there was also generally a slight falling off for the same transp.

the same reason. The tapping of the central fire alarm bell yesterday about 2 o'clock was caused by the crossing of wires incident to putting up new poles on Sixteenth street. The same trouble is likely to be experienced for a day or two.

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Niour before last two men walking
past an alley on the South Side saw a
small boy building a fire close beside a
stable. In a few minutes the wooden
building must have been in flames. The men stamped the fire out and sent the boy home.

Tazar were seven cases in the police court yesterday. One man was dismiss-ed, two wore sent to the hill and four paid their lines. One of those who went up was the man who was arrested by Captain Bennett Saturday night for interfering in the arrest of another man, and the other was Andy Haight.

ABOUT PROPUR Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks

Abroad.

J. H. Nern, of Parkorsburg, autographed at the McLure yesterday. Miss Jonnie Hervey resurned last night from Niagara Falls and Cleve-

Innd.

II. M. Ernst, of Olean, N. Y., was here yesterday and figured on the register at the McLure.

Mrs. A. J. Clarke, of Mannington, was here yesterday on a shopping expedition, a guest at the Windsor.

Editor A. B. White, of the Parkers-burg State Journal, was in the city last evening, and registered at the Windsor. Col. S. B. Baker, of Parkersburg, one of the most entinesiastic officers of the state national guard, was in the city vesterday. vesterday.

yesterday,
D. R. Meighen, of Littleton; S. H.
Shriver, of Sistersville; W. M. Riggs, of
Monudeville; Misses Fannie Pritchard
and Fearle McNeil, of Mannington, are
West Virginia people at the Stamm,
J. P. Rax, of Mannington; W. S. Barrick, of Burton; F. A. Porter, of Mannington; J. C. McCue, of Sistersville,
and Jacob Koontz, of New Martinsville,

are among the West Virginia people at the Behler.

Mayor Caldwell and his family have nearly completed their removal from Fifteenth street to the residence at the corner of Zane and North Front streets, formerly occupied by Mr. J. B. Taney. The mayor expects to be a full fledged resident of the Garden Spot by the middle of the week. middle of the week

Lincoln J. Carter, manager of "The Fast Mail," tells the following story: One oight while giving pass-out checks between the third and fourth acts, a gantleman came out and inquired the number of the B. & O. freight car, which was one of the cars in the mixed freight which crosses the stage in act three. I informed him that I believed the number was 3105.

three. I informed him that I believed the number was 3105, "I thought so," replied the gentle-man, I am employed at the B. & O. freight yards, and switched that same car this morning." Manager Carter says this is the high-oot compliment he ever had paid to this realistic feature of "The Fast Mail. The "Fast Mail" comes to the Grand the last hall of this week. last half of this week.

Fine opportunity to purchase a few acres of choice land at lot sale in Moundsville, October 1 and 2.

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HILD HETH—At the home of his sister, Mrs. W.
S. Brady, Giendale, W. Va., on Sunday even-ing, September 22, 1995, Trans. Chass Hil-backu, in the 4th year of his ago.

Funeral from the residence of his brother, Dr.

Eugeng Hildreth, No. 1297 Chaphille Treed,
this (Tueslay) atternound Jo'clock, Frienda respectfully invited to attend. Interment private at Greenwood Cometery.

SCHAEFER-On Monday, Sentember 23, 1835, at 3210 a.m., C. F. Schaefer, in his seventy-sevential year. Funcial from his late residence, No. 2267 Chap-

line street. We incode afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of "the family are invited. Inter-ment at Greenwood Compley.

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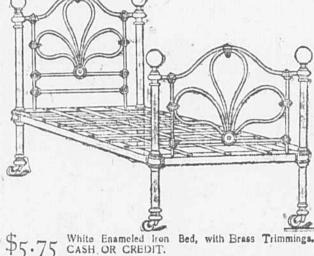
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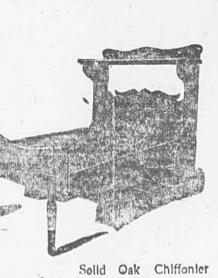


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